



United States Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

1400 Independence Avenue SW

Washington, DC 20250-0260

Date Issued: Sept. 26, 2003

WHOLE EGGS, INVITATION NO. 9, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-268

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell whole eggs as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Oct. 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 10. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 16 to Nov. 30.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?</a>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-268, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated May 2003, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp">http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp</a>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-268, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

- 2. -

Thirty-pound containers (082030) - Frozen whole eggs (without color stabilizer) packed in a full opening type plastic container with snap-on type lid, 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net in each plastic container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,320 shipping containers totaling 39,600 pounds (17,962 kg).

Five-pound cartons (082065) - Frozen homogenized whole eggs with a color stabilizer packaged 5 pounds (2.27 kg) net weight in a pitcher-pour type, polyethylene-coated paperboard carton, and packed six 5-pound (2.27 kg) cartons per fiberboard shipping container with 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight. A purchase unit will consist of 1,334 shipping containers totaling 40,020 pounds (18,153 kg).

Bulk liquid whole eggs (083090) - Bulk liquid whole eggs (without color stabilizer) for further processing, packed and shipped in insulated tankers, 48,000 pounds (21,772 kg) net weight in each tanker. A purchase unit will total 48,000 pounds (21,772 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY268 INVITATION : 009

COMM GROUP : 08 EGGS, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)
ITEM	DESTINATION		TRANS	QUANTITY

## DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

001	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
002	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

COMM TYPE : 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 65 6/5 LB CTN

NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)
ITEM	DESTINATION		TRANS	QUANTITY

## DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

003	ALBANY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,020
004	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,020
005	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,020
006	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,020

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY268 INVITATION : 009

COMM GROUP : 08 EGGS, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN PACK SIZE : 65 6/5 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	) ST 	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11,	/16/0	3 - 11/30/0	13
007	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	80,040
800	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	20,010
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	20,010
009	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,020
010	GRANITE CITY	IL		80,040
011	LUBBOCK	TX		40,020
012	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,020
013	DES MOINES	IA		40,020
014	MASON CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,010
	SIOUX CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,010
015	PICO RIVERA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,020

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 679,500

COMM TYPE : 30 EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK

PACK SIZE : 90 BULK TANKERS

ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY NO CITY ST RESTR (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

016 MONTICELLO MN TRUCK ONLY 288,000 017 WAKEFIELD NE TRUCK ONLY 144,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 432,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 1,111,500

Dennis J. Pearson Contracting Officer The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in all its programs and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, sexual orientation, or marital or family status. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD).

To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 14th and Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (202) 720-5964 (voice and TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

\_ \_ \_ \_ \_